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c/o PHILIPS ELECTRONICS NORTH AMERICA CORPORATION, Corporate Intellectual Property, 1000 West Maude Ave., Sunnyvale, California 94085, his Associate Attorneys/Agents with all the usual powers to prosecute the above-identified application and any division or continuation thereof, to make alterations and amendments therein, and to transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith.

All correspondence concerning this application and the letters patent when granted should be addressed to the undersigned Attorney of Record.

Respectfully,

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